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C O N F I D E N T I A L WARSAW 5010

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SUBJ: WALDHEIM VISIT TO POLAND

REF: WARSAW 3845 (NOTAL)

1. KURT WALDHEIM'S JULY 10-13 VISIT TO POLAND AS THE GUEST OF THE POLISH GOVERNMENT WAS CORDIAL AND HEAVILY CEREMONIAL. HE VISITED THE WARSAW CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL DEDICATED TO THE VICTIMS OF NAZISM ON JULY 10; THE BIALOWIEZA GAME PRESERVE ON JULY 11; BIALYSTOK MEDICAL ACADEMY ON JULY 12, AND THE CITY OF WARSAW ON JULY 13. HE RECEIVED AN HONORARY DOCTORATE OF LAWS FROM WARSAW UNIVERSITY FOR HIS ACTIVITIES IN PROMOTING PEACE.

2. WALDHEIM MET WITH FOREIGN MINISTER WOJTASZEK ON THE MORNING OF JULY 11 AND WITH VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS
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JAN SZYDLAK THAT AFTERNOON. CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL OF STATE HENRY JABLONSKI RECEIVED HIM ON JULY 13. ACCORDING TO PRESS REPORTS, THE MAIN TOPICS OF CONVERSATION THROUGHOUT THE VISIT WERE (A) DETENTE, INCLUDING THE BELGRADE CONFERENCE, (B) DIS-ARMAMENT, (C) TENSION POINTS WHICH THREATEN WORLD PEACE, SUCH AS THE MIDDLE EAST AND SOUTH AFRICA, AND (D) MEASURES TO ESTABLISH NEW AND JUST ECONOMIC RELATIONS. WALDHEIM WARMLY PRAISED POLAND'S

CONTRIBUTION TO THE UN ON SEVERAL OCCASIONS, PARTICULARLY ITS PARTICIPATION IN THE PEACE-KEEPING FORCE IN THE MIDDLE EAST.

3. WE WERE TOLD BY A POLISH SOURCE THAT BARBARA BLAJFER, ONE OF THE PARTICIPANTS IN THE JUNE HUNGER STRIKE (REF), SUCCEEDED IN HANDING WALDHEIM A LETTER DURING HIS PRESS CONFERENCE JULY 13. REPORTEDLY, BLAJFER WAS SUBSEQUENTLY HELD OVERNIGHT BY POLICE AND RELEASED. OUR SOURCE SAID HE KNEW OF AT LEAST ONE STUDENT WHO WAS DETAINED WHEN HE TRIED UNSUCCESSFULLY TO HAND WALDHEIM A DOCUMENT.
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